

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT TACOMA

GEORGE O. MITCHELL,

Petitioner,

v.

MARK STRONG,

Respondent.

CASE NO. C16-5069 BHS

ORDER ADOPTING REPORT  
AND RECOMMENDATION

This matter comes before the Court on the Report and Recommendation (“R&R”) of the Honorable Karen L. Strombom, United States Magistrate Judge. Dkt. 23. The Court having considered the R&R and the remaining record, and no objections having been filed, does hereby find and order as follows:

- (1) The R&R is **ADOPTED**.
- (2) Petitioner’s motion to voluntarily dismiss the habeas petition (Dkt. 22) is **GRANTED**; the habeas petition is **DISMISSED without prejudice**.

Dated this 5th day of October, 2016.



BENJAMIN H. SETTLE  
United States District Judge